

## **Expectations for Behavior and Academic Success**

- **This is a safe classroom.** That means we refrain from making comments about others. Comments related to race, sexual orientation, religion, physical or mental characteristics will not be tolerated.
- We respect each other, respect WHS faculty and staff, and respect our learning environment. Among other things, this means we don't laugh at others' ideas, we disagree respectfully, and we refrain from side conversations that could distract from what others are saying.
- We are all in this together! It is our job to cooperate with each other to succeed. Therefore, group work will be expected, and while group work is taking place, everyone contributes.
- We arrive prepared. Generally that means you are expected to have your notebook, any homework for the day, your book, and a writing utensil.
- We put forth our very best effort, and take pride in our work.
- We ask for help when we need it.
- We contribute our thoughts and efforts in order to make our classroom a positive learning environment where everyone is successful.